AFIA-KSU Advanced Pelleting Course  
February 10-13, 2014

**Background**
The Department of Grain Science and Industry at Kansas State University, in partnership with the American Feed Industry Association (AFIA), is holding an advanced pelleting course. This partnership with the American Feed Industry Association is one that has remained strong since 1976. These courses are taught by a unique blend of individuals from Kansas State University and within the feed and allied industries to provide in-depth training on all aspects associated with pelleting. This advanced pelleting course will focus on the important concepts needed to have an optimal and efficient pelleting system in a feed manufacturing business.

**Who should attend?**
This interactive course provides participants with an in-depth understanding of the specifics of modern and advanced pelleting. Therefore, it is an excellent opportunity for feed mill owners, managers, supervisors, merchandisers, equipment manufacturers, maintenance personnel and managers of livestock, swine and poultry facilities.

**Course Content**
- Importance of ingredients in the pelleting process
- What affects pelleting operations
- Steam conditioning
- Pelleting cooling and crumbling
- Maintenance in pellet mills
- Evaluating pelleting production costs
- The course will have hands-on sessions at the pellet mill units located at the new KSU O.H. Kruse Feed Technology Innovation Center.

**Registration Fees**
- $900 for AFIA members
- $1,000 for non AFIA members

This fee will cover course materials and other expenses, including daily transportation to Manhattan, Kan., group luncheons, coffee breaks and graduation lunch. This fee does not cover the cost of hotel, transportation to Manhattan, Kan., dinners or other incidental costs.

No cancellations or refunds will be allowed once the short course starts.

Registration is confirmed on a first-come, first-served basis.

To register visit [www.afia.org](http://www.afia.org)

**Hotel**
A block of rooms has been reserved at a discounted rate of $84 (plus tax) a night at:
- Four Point by Sheraton
  - 530 Richards Dr.
  - Manhattan, KS 66502
  - Phone: 785-539-5311

Please visit our website, [www.grains.ksu.edu/igp](http://www.grains.ksu.edu/igp) for more registration and hotel information.

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In 2013, IGP conducted 47 courses with 1,072 participants from 34 countries.